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NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY AND INTENT TO CERTIFY FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT

The California State Lands Commission (CSLC) has prepared a Final Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the Central Coastal California Seismic Imaging Project (Project). Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) proposes to conduct a deep¹ high-energy seismic survey offshore the Diablo Canyon Power Plant (DCPP), an electricity-generating nuclear power plant located in Avila Beach, San Luis Obispo County.

The CSLC is the lead agency for the proposed Project under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Pub. Resources Code, § 21000 et seq.) because PG&E has submitted an application to the CSLC for a Geophysical Survey Permit in order to conduct the Project. Pursuant to California Code of Regulations, Title 2, section 2906, the CSLC is providing an opportunity for public review of the Final EIR.

The Draft EIR was circulated for a 45-day public review period beginning March 19, 2012. The Final EIR is printed in two volumes, is comprised of the full text of the Draft EIR and subsequent changes, and includes the information below.

Volume I	 Preface (Section I). Comments and Responses to Comments received on the Draft EIR, including a list of persons, organizations, and public agencies that commented on the Draft EIR during the public review period (Section II).
Volume II	 Revisions to the Draft EIR and any other information added to the EIR by the CSLC as Lead Agency (Section III). The Mitigation Monitoring Program (Section III, EIR Section 8.0).

The Final EIR has been prepared for the CSLC pursuant to CEQA and in accordance with the State CEQA Guidelines (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 15000 et seq.). The State CEQA Guidelines stipulate that an EIR must be prepared for any project that may have a significant impact on the environment. The Project is a "project" as defined by the

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¹ "Deep" means depths of 6 to 9 miles (10 to 15 kilometers), the depths required to identify and characterize active faults.

State CEQA Guidelines. Upon preliminary review, the CSLC determined that the Project may have a significant adverse impact on the environment and, therefore, an EIR was required.

Both the Draft and Final EIRs, identified as CSLC EIR No. 758 and State Clearinghouse No. 2011061085, may be viewed electronically, in PDF format, on the CSLC's website at www.slc.ca.gov (under the "Information" tab and "CEQA Updates" link). Copies of the Final EIR will also be available for review at the following locations:

San Luis Obispo Library 995 Palm Street San Luis Obispo, CA 93403 Hours: Tuesday, 10 AM to 8 PM Wednesday-Saturday, 10 AM to 5 PM	San Luis Obispo County Board of Supervisors Room D-430, County Government Center San Luis Obispo, CA 93408 (805) 781-5450 Hours: Monday-Friday, 8 AM to 5 PM
Port San Luis Harbor District 3950 Avila Beach Drive Avila Beach, CA 93424 (805) 595-5400	City of Morro Bay Harbor Department 1275 Embarcadero Morro Bay, CA 93442 (805) 772-6254 Hours: Monday-Friday, 7 AM to 7 PM
California State Lands Commission ² Attn: Jennifer DeLeon Division of Environmental Planning and Management 100 Howe Avenue, Suite 100-South Sacramento, CA 95825 (916) 574-0748 Email: CEQAcomments@slc.ca.gov	California State Lands Commission Attn: Richard Greenwood Mineral Resources Management Division 200 Oceangate, 12th Floor Long Beach, CA 90802 (562) 590-5201 Email: Richard.Greenwood@slc.ca.gov

If you would like a compact disc (CD) or hard copy of the Final EIR mailed to you, please contact Jennifer DeLeon at the above telephone number or email address.

The CSLC will meet to review and consider certification of the Final EIR, and, if the Final EIR is certified, to take action on the proposed Project at the next meeting of the State Lands Commission, which will be held on **August 14, 2012 at 9 AM** at the Secretary of State auditorium, 1500 11th Street, Sacramento. Further details will be provided, as they become available, on the CSLC's website at www.slc.ca.gov. If you have any questions or need further information, please contact Jennifer DeLeon (contact information listed above).

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² All documents referenced in the EIR will also be available at this address for public review during the CSLC's normal working hours (State CEQA Guidelines, § 15087, subd. (c)(5)).